L.M.P. examination to undergo M.B.B.S. course for a period of three and half years.

Provision has been made for a short-term course for the Licentiates I.A.M.C. Officers seeking admission to M.B.B.S. Course.

ಶ್ರೀ ಜಿ. ನಾರಾಯಣಗೌಡ.—ಎಲ್.ಎಂ.ಪಿ. ಪರೀಕ್ಷೆಯಲ್ಲಿ ಉತ್ತೀರ್ಣರಾದವರು ಎಂ.ಬಿ.ಬಿ.ಎಸ್. ಕೋರ್ಸಿಗೆ ಸೇರಬಹುದು ಎಂದು ಹೇಳಿದ್ದೀರಿ. ಆ ರೀತಿ ಪ್ರೊವಿಜ್ ಮಾಡಿದ್ದು ಯಾವ ತಾರೀಖಿನಲ್ಲಿ ?

ಶ್ರೀ ಎ. ಜಿ. ರಾಮಚಂದ್ರರಾವ್.—ತಾರೀಖು ಗೊತ್ತಿಲ್ಲ. ಈಚೆಗೆ ಮಾಡಿದೆ.

ಶ್ರೀ ಜಿ. ನಾರಾಯಣಗೌಡ.—ಆರೀತಿ ಎಷ್ಟು ಜನ ವಿದ್ಯಾರ್ಥಿಗಳು ಸೇರಿದ್ದಾರೆ ?

ಶ್ರೀ ಎ. ಜಿ. ರಾಮಚಂದ್ರರಾವ್.—ನೋಟೀಸ್.

ಶ್ರೀ ಜಿ. ನಾರಾಯಣಗೌಡ.—ಇದರಿಂದ ಡಾಕ್ಟರುಗಳ ಅಭಾವ ಹಾಗೆಯೇ ಇದೆ ಎಂದು ತಿಳಿಯುತ್ತದೆ ಅಲ್ಲವೆ ?

ಶ್ರೀ ಎ. ಜಿ. ರಾಮಚಂದ್ರರಾವ್.—ಅಷ್ಟೇನೂ ಕಾಣುವುದಿಲ್ಲ. ಅದರಲ್ಲೂ ಮೈಸೂರು ಸೀಮೆಯಲ್ಲಿ ಅಭಾವ ಕಡಮೆ ಎಂದು ಕಾಣುತ್ತದೆ.

ಶ್ರೀ ಜಿ.ನಾರಾಯಣಗೌಡ.—ಈ ಎಂ.ಬಿ.ಬಿ.ಎಸ್• ಮತ್ತು ಎಲ್.ಎಂ.ಪಿ. ಅಲ್ಲದೆ ಬೇರೆ ಷಾರ್ಟ್ ಟರ್ಮ್ ಕೋರ್ಸ್ ಏನಾದರೂ ಆಲ್ ಇಂಡಿಯಾ ಮೆಡಿಕಲ್ ಅಸೋಸಿಯೇಷನವರು ನಲಹೆಮಾಡಿದ್ದಾರೆಯೇ ?

ಶ್ರೀ ಎ. ಜಿ. ರಾಮಚಂದ್ರರಾವ್.—ಆ ರೀತಿ ಮನವಿ ಯಾವುದೂ ಸರ್ಕಾರದವರಿಗೆ ಬಂದಿಲ್ಲ.

Mr. SPEAKER.—Questions Nos. 76. 151 and 360 may be taken up together.

Construction of Vidhana Soudha.

Q.—76. Sri S. SRINIVASA IYENGAR (T.-Narasipur).—

Will the Government be pleased to state :—

(*a*) the total amount of estimates sanctioned for the construction of Vidhana Soudha at Bangalore and the total number of years within which the building will be completed ;

(*b*) the date on which the work was commenced and by whom ;

(*c*) the capital outlay as on 1st December 1953 ;

(*d*) whether tenders were called for and if so, have any one of them been accepted and if not, the reasons ;

(*e*) the specifications ordered and the rates paid for the following items may kindly be given in the following form :—

Sl. No.	Description	Quantity	Specification	Rate paid	Rate as per Schedule 1953
1	Earthwork excavation for foundation ...				
2	Cement concrete for foundations ...				
3	Size stone in cement mortar—				
	(i) below ground level ...				
	(ii) above ground level ...				
4	Dressing charges for size stone ...				
5	Casting of R. C. C. Slab ...				

(*f*) how these rates paid out compare with those quoted by the lowest tenderer?

A.—Sri KADIDAL MANJAPPA (Minister for Revenue and Public Works).—

(*a*) The detailed estimate has not yet been sanctioned. An estimate for Rs. 50 lakhs has been prepared and is under examination. The building is proposed to be completed in about 1½ years from now.

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(*b*) In the first week of February 1953 by the Executive Engineer, Buildings Division, Bangalore.

(*c*) Rs. 10,57,775.

(*d*) Tenders for certain items of work above the basement level were called for. None of them was accepted as the specifications for, some items were inadequate and as it was decided to proceed with even these items of work departmentally.

(*e*)—

Sl. No.	Description	Quantity (approximate)	Specification	Rates paid	Rate as per Schedule 1953
1	Earthwork excavation for foundation.	60,000 C. yds.	Earthwork excavation in hard gravelly soil and conveying excavated stuff over an average lead of 150 C.ft.	Top soil Re. 0-9-0 $\frac{1}{2}$ft., depth $\frac{1}{2}$ to 3 ft. Re. 0-13-0, below 3 ft. Re. 1-0-0.	Rs. 1-1-0
2	Cement concrete for foundations.	1,00,000 C. ft.	Granite stone, jelly concrete 1 : 3 : 6 with $\frac{2}{3}$ of $1\frac{1}{4}$" size and 1/3 $\frac{1}{2}$" to $\frac{3}{4}$" size.	Rs. 1-1-0 to Rs. 1-3-0.	Rs. 1-5-0
3	Size stone in cement mortar—				
	(i) below ground level.	1,40,000	Size stone masonry in cement mortar 1 : 5 with bond stones at every 6 ft. and courses not less than 9".	Rs. 1-1-0 (average)	Rs. 1-1-3
	(ii) above ground level.	60,000 C. ft.	Size stone masonry in cement mortar 1 : 5 with bond stones at every C.ft. and courses not less than 9".	Rs. 1-5-0	Rs. 1-6-3
4	Dressing charges for size stone.	10,000 ,,	Re. 0-4-0 ... 1 line Re. 0-8-0 ... 2 line Re. 0-12-0 ... 3 line		1 line— Re. 0-5-0 2 line— Re.0-10-0 3 line— Re.0-15-0
5	Casting of R.C.C. slab.	15,000 ,,	Casting R. C. C. slab 1 : 2 : 4 for basement sills and lintels, etc., with necessary reinforcement up to 0·1 per cent.	Rs 3-8-0	Rs. 4-8-0 Schedule.

Sl. No.	Items corresponding to those referred to in (*e*) for which tenders were called for	Unit	Lowest tender rate	Departmental rate
			Rs. a. p.	
1	Constructing 8" course thick stone masonry with Mallasandra or Hessarghatta stone dressed to square with necessary bond stone, etc., in 1 : 6 cement mortar.—			
	(*a*) Ground floor ...	C.ft.	1 4 6	With 1 : 5 cement
	(*b*) First floor ...	,,	1 5 0	Mortar
	(*c*) Second floor ...	,,	1 5 0	Ground floor Rs. 1-5-0.
2	Size stone masonry with Granite stone for interior works with 9" Course without bush 1 : 5 cement mortar.—			
	(*a*) Ground floor ...	,,	1 4 0	Ground floor with 1 : 5 cement mortar including filling with 1 : 2 : 4 cement concrete. Average rate Rs. 1-6-0.
	(*b*) First floor ...	,,	1 4 6	
	(*c*) Second floor ...	,,	1 5 0	
3	R.C.C. beam with 1 : 2 : 4 granite jelly concrete up to 1·5 per cent reinforcement including centering, etc., complete.	,,	5 11 0	Average rate Rs. 4-4-0.
4	R.C.C. plinth and lintel slabs with 1 : 2 : 4 proportion concrete, reinforcement up to 1 per cent.	,,	3 14 0	Rs. 3-8-0.

Q.—151. Sri N. C. NAGAIAH REDDY (Goribidnur).—

Will the Government be pleased to state :—

(*a*) when they decided upon the construction of legislature building ;

(*b*) what the original estimate was;

(*c*) whether there has been any revision of original plan and the estimate ;

(*d*) whether the relative Government orders will be placed on the table ;

(*e*) whether it is a fact that the building is now proposed to be used not only for housing legislature but also for other offices ;

(*f*) what is the estimate of the building as at present sanctioned ?

A.—Sri KADIDAL MANJAPPA (Minister for Revenue and Public Works).—

(*a*) In 1951.

(*b*) Rs. 23·64 lakhs.

(*c*) Yes.

(*d*) The Government Order relating to the change in plans and designs will be placed on the table. The revised estimate has not yet been sanctioned.

(*e*) Yes.

(*f*) An estimate for Rs. 50 lakhs has been prepared.

Q.—360. Sri A. V. NARASIMHA REDDY (Bangalore South).—

Will the Government be pleased to state :—

(*a*) the estimated cost of the new legislature building ;

(*b*) the average expenditure that is being incurred over that building every day ;

(*c*) the amount that is spent over the staff under these heads, *viz.*,—(i) supervision, (ii) office, and (iii) actual labourers ?